

Year 3

Autumn Term 1

How can a living museum help us share the wonders of Ancient Rome?

Why?

Ancient Rome is a fascinating and exciting historical topic for students and teachers alike! We will go on a journey of discovery into who the Romans were, how they lived and what they achieved. We will learn how the Roman Empire spread so far due to their successful army and how the Ancient Romans lived their everyday lives. We will incorporate many subjects into this topic including mapping skills in geography, myths and legends in English, and forces in science.



15 Weeks: Oct-Dec 2022

Science

We will begin with learning about materials and understanding the difference between solids, liquids and gases. We will also take a look at mixtures and how they can be separated. For the second half of the term, we will focus on forces and energy including friction, gravity and magnetism.

Mathematics

We will begin the year by covering numbers to 1000, with a focus on place value, odd and even numbers, and counting in 10s and 100s. We will then move onto addition and subtraction of 2-digit numbers using mental strategies, followed by a unit on 2D and 3D shapes.

Slovak / SFF

The specific goal of written language in this period is the acquisition of the primary principles of the language system. Pupils begin familiarise yourself with grammar and language rules. They significantly improve in reading and writing techniques, as well as in reading comprehension, they learn to perceive the aesthetic side of the literary works. At an appropriate level, they perform a content analysis of the text, read with understanding, and identify the information provided directly in the text.

Art

We are going to learn about colour and texture and will use clay to make Roman artefacts.

Music

We are going to focus on rhythmic patterns and note values using songs about Romans and monophonic melodies typical for Ancient Rome.

Forest School

This term we will be looking at learning through doing, teamwork, problem solving, nature appreciation, arts, bug hunts.

PSHE

In PSHE this term we will be focusing on making friends, recognising common interests, and understanding what bullying is.

English

We will be continuing with the Read Write Inc. programme to develop children's phonics knowledge in order to read and write with confidence. We will also continue to supplement these lessons with spellings and grammar lessons sprinkled throughout the term.

Physical Education

This term, we will be participating in a wide range of skills such as catching, throwing, evasion, dance and gymnastics. These will take place in Horský Park and the Gym at school.

Topic/PBL

In our Topic and PBL lessons we will be learning about the wonderfully interesting Roman Empire! We will be learning about the history whilst linking important map reading skills with the chance of exciting school trips!



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